Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 19 Nov 2022 until 23:59 on Sunday 20 Nov 2022

Forecast Issued on Friday 18 Nov 2022 at 16:46

Confidence: High confidence for further unsettled weather moving in from the Atlantic with wet and windy periods expected throughout the forecast period. Also a good signal for colder weather later in the weekend. Less confidence in timings of rainfall and amounts.

Headline for Saturday 19 Nov 2022: A bright and sunny day, clouding over later. Winds strengthening with afternoon gales.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 19 Nov 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Medium Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Clear night	Clear night	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Light rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	10%	10%	30%	90%

Forecast for Saturday 19 Nov 2022

Weather: Mainly clear overnight and this will lead into a dry and bright day with sunny spells. Tending to cloud over later in the afternoon and lowering cloud making for a dull evening with some rain spreading east from early evening, turning heavier at times.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 90%, early low cloud will lift and clear, patches remaining on higher tops. Falling to 40% by early evening as rain approaches.

Low cloud and visibility: Patches around hill tops early in the day above 600m. Low cloud will tend to form later in the afternoon and lower over the hill tops, with layers of scattered low cloud above 500m. Visibility will be very good for the majority of the day falling moderate or poor in the evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	32/44 NW	19/27 NW	11/14 NW	10/14 SW	23/31 S	30/43 S	37/51 S	33/46 S	25/35 W
300	16/30 NW	12/20 NW	7/10 NW	3/7 W	8/16 S	16/29 S	20/35 S	19/34 S	11/22 W
Valley	15/29 NW	11/18 NW	7/11 NW	2/6 SW	7/15 S	14/28 S	18/35 S	16/32 S	10/22 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	4/-3	3/-2	3/-0	3/-0	3/-3	4/-3	4/-3	4/-3	4/-2
300	4/-1	4/-0	3/0	2/0	5/2	6/2	6/2	6/2	6/2
Valley	5/0	4/1	4/1	3/1	6/4	7/4	8/3	7/3	6/4
<< Freezing Level*	800m	800m	800m	800m	800m	900m	1100m	1400m	1100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Strong northwesterly winds will ease and turn southeasterly later in the day becoming quite strong during Saturday afternoon, summit gales likely. Feeling quite cold on the tops particularly in the evening as the rain arrives too.

Forecast for Sunday 20 Nov 2022

Weather: Overnight rain will clear early in the morning but turning into a showery morning but a few brighter spells outwith showers. Showers may turn wintry on the highest tops with some sleet. Significant wind chill in showers and strong westerly winds.

Maximum wind: West or southwesterly winds 30-35 mph with gusts 40-45mph in the morning.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 60% at daybreak, improving to 70%, scattered low cloud associated with showers.

Low cloud and visibility: Early cloud around the tops will lift and clear but low cloud will form again around heavier or showers during the day with scattered layers above 600m. Visibility will turn poor for a time in heavy or sleety showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 2 rising to 8 Celsius.
At 700m: Plus 1 Celsius.
Freezing level: 800-1000m.

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